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	AC	240,057	04/1881	Waldecker			
	AD	988,937	04/1911	Holland			
	AE	2,609,072	09/1952	Levinson			
	AF	2,693,258	11/1954	Fleisch			
	AG	4,049,091	09/1977	Chubb			
	AH	4,790,416	12/1988	Baker			
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